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## PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner of Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

February 7, 2000

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Prior to consideration on the merits of this CPA application, please enter the following amendments.

#### IN THE CLAIMS: /

# Please amend claim 1 as follows:

1. (four times amended) A pharmaceutical preparation which provides a dosage form of Tamoxifen, wherein the dosage form comprises at least 1.5 mg/ml [g/ml] of Tamoxifen Citrate, in the absence of a complexing agent, in a pharmaceutically acceptable solution which is [can be] administered orally [and which solution comprises from about 10% to 60% by weight of a glycol].

Please cancel claim 12, without prejudice or disclaimer of the subject matter thereof.

#### REMARKS

The amendment above substitutes allowed claim 12 for claim 1 as it stood. The amendment was discussed with the Examiner by

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